

For All Children

Junior Club Slates Benefit Puppet Show

A spectacular event is being planned for all area children by the Torrance Junior Woman's Club. Mmes. William Trommald, chairman, and Wayne Lynch, co-chairman, announce that 1,200 tickets are currently on sale for a gala Puppet Show Saturday, July 13, at the Torrance YMCA, 2900 W. Sepulveda Blvd.

The event will feature James Gamble and his Puppets of world renown. The show of animal and trick marionettes includes "Algeron" the timid trapeze artist, "Teddy" the friendly fuzzy bear, "Dinny," the lovable beagle and "Baloo," the bear of Junglebook fantasy.

Gamble, who creates his own puppets, has appeared on television here and abroad, has entertained over one million children in Colorado Springs at Santa's Village. He recently built two marionettes for the Disneyland Christmas "Fantasy on Parade."

There will be three performances of 35 minutes each, one at 10 a.m.; 11 a.m. and at noon. Popcorn and soft beverages will be on sale. Tickets may be obtained from any Torrance Junior or by contacting the Torrance YMCA. A percentage of the proceeds will be donated to the Torrance YMCA.



YMCA Will Benefit

Three puppet show performances on July 13 at the Torrance YMCA will be presented for South Bay children by the Torrance Junior Woman's Club, who have selected one of the best known shows. Excited about the event, proceeds from which will go to the Torrance YMCA are, from left, Kelly Trommald 9, Mrs. William Trommald, show chairman; Mrs. Richard Leonard, decorations chairman, Doug Hedde, 8, and his mother, Mrs. Douglas Hedde, president, having fun with Baloo, the bear. (Press-Herald Photo)

Las Vecinas Presents Scholarship

Continuing a tradition of awarding a scholarship to a deserving senior at South High School, Las Vecinas Woman's Club made the presentation at its luncheon meeting held at the Palos Verdes Country Club.

This year's winner is Miss Sherri Schell, pictured at the left, accepting the certificate from Mrs. Don Malone, president of Las Vecinas.

Chosen on the basis of her outstanding grades, mature attitude, and many all around activities, Miss Schell is interested in becoming a social worker. She will assume her studies in this field in September at the University of California at Santa Barbara

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Lux-Gilliam Vows Recited

The Congregational Church in Middlebury, Connecticut, was the setting Saturday afternoon, June 29, for the 4:30 o'clock marriage ceremony, in which Miss Constance Lux, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Abner Lux of Three Mile Hill, Middlebury, became the bride of Michael Keith Gilliam of Torrance. Parents of the bridegroom are Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Keith Gilliam, 16905 Purche Ave.

Escorted to the altar by her father, the bride wore a white silk organza gown detailed with a rolled collar and long full sleeves, with cuffs of eyelet embroidery. Bands of matching embroidery trimmed the front of the gown and the wattleau train, which draped from the shoulders. A headpiece of matching lace appliques held the shoulder-length illusion veil and she carried a bouquet of lilies-of-the-valley.

Bridal attendants were Miss Susan Lee Martin of Allendale, N. J., maid of honor; and Misses Louann Kern, South River, N.J.; Cheryl Lee Abbott, Beacon Falls, Conn., and Olanna Koleshko, Waterbury, bridesmaids. They were gowned in shrimp colored silk organza cages and wore Dior bows of matching organza and short circular veils.

Guy R. Old, Jr., of Redondo Beach, stood as best man and ushers were Mark Dowdell Lux, Paul Stephen Lux, and John W. Mosch, Jr.

Rev. Charles P. Luckey officiated at the vow exchange and a reception followed at the Waterbury Country Club.

The honeymoon is a cross country drive to California. The bride is a graduate of St. Margaret's School in Waterbury and Hood College at Frederick, Maryland.

The bridegroom is a student at El Camino College.



MRS. MICHAEL K. GILLIAM (Wyckoff Portrait)

Chi Omega Alums Install At Poolside Event July 13

A luncheon and afternoon of swimming will complement the installation of new officers for 1968-69 for the South Bay Alumnae Chapter of Chi Omega.

All area alumnae are invited to attend the event which will be held on Saturday afternoon, July 13, at the home of Mrs. Lou Miraula, 3 Dapplegray Lane, Rolling Hills Estates. Reservations may be made by calling Mrs. Miraula or Mrs. Arthur Montgomery in Redondo Beach.

New officers are Mmes. David Veiga, president; Gail Vosberg, vice-president; Ronald Sullivan, recording secretary; Michael Kammermeyer, corresponding secretary.

Local Court Wins Nine State Awards

At the annual Awards Banquet held on Friday evening during the recent State Convention of the Catholic Daughters of America in Sacramento, Mrs. Elles Cook, grand regent of the Court St. Catherine of Torrance, went to the podium nine times to accept state honors for her court.

Mrs. Charles Butterfield, publicity chairman for the local court, captured two first place awards, one for publicity and the other for the court's scrapbook.

Another first place, for the Grand Regent's scrapbook, was won for the court by Mrs. Robert Klaesges, who also served as editor of the bulletin, which took second place in state competition.

For its year of social service, under the direction of Mrs. William Wochna, Court St. Catherine captured another first place award.

The Juniorette program, directed by Mrs. Beverly Williams, and designed for the young girls of the parish, won a second place trophy as well as the "Women for Decency" program, under the leadership of Mrs. William Healy. The court's Blood Bank schedule also won a second place recognition.

Madonnas were given as first place trophies and the delegates brought home four statues.



Awards All Over The Place

Spotlighted at their State Convention, these CDA members returned home to display certificates of the nine awards they captured for outstanding accomplishments. They are, standing, left, Mmes. Charles Butterfield, first place in publicity and first for scrapbook; Beverly Williams, first in Juniorette program; seated left, William Wochna, first for social services; and Elles Cook, grand regent, who accepted the awards for the court.

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IT'S PICNIC TIME

Torrance Welcome Wagon will again sponsor a picnic for all members and their children at El Nido Park on Thursday, July 11, at 12:30 p.m. A fried chicken picnic will be enjoyed and games with prizes and a "pound" auction are on the agenda. All newcomers to the South Bay are invited. What the day will offer is defined here by Caroline and Glenn Thibodeau peaking in the picnic basket brought by their mother, Mrs. Lionel Thibodeau, while in background, Mrs. Jon Mason swings 18-month-old Robert. For information or reservations Mrs. Victor Esposito or Mrs. Jon L. Mason may be called.

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